

center of the intersection, passing as closely as practicable to the right thereof before turning such vehicle to the left.

For the purpose of this section, the center of the intersection shall mean the meeting point of the medial lines of the highways intersecting one another.

(b) Local authorities in their respective jurisdictions may modify the foregoing method of turning at intersections by clearly indicating by buttons, markers or other direction signs within an intersection the course to be followed by vehicles turning thereat, and it shall be unlawful for any driver to fail to turn in a manner as so directed when such direction signs are authorized by local authorities.

Center of intersection.

Modifications by local authorities.

Drivers to follow rules.

SEC. 17. *Signals on starting, stopping or turning.*

(a) The driver of any vehicle upon a highway before starting, stopping or turning from a direct line shall first see that such movement can be made in safety and if any pedestrian may be affected by such movement shall give a clearly audible signal by sounding the horn, and whenever the operation of any other vehicle may be affected by such movement shall give a signal as required in this section plainly visible to the driver of such other vehicle of the intention to make such movement.

Signal for starting.

Protection of pedestrian.

Signals to vehicles.

(b) The signal herein required shall be given by means of the hand and arm in the manner herein specified.

Signals given by hand and arm.

Whenever the signal is given the driver shall indicate his intention to start, stop, or turn by extending the hand and arm from and beyond the left side of the vehicle as hereinafter set forth.

Signals given by extending hand and arm from left side of vehicle.

Left turn—hand and arm horizontal forefinger pointing.

Left turn.

Right turn—hand and arm pointed upward.

Right turn.

Stop—hand and arm pointed downward.

Stop.

All signals to be given from left side of vehicles during last fifty feet traveled.

Signals given within last fifty feet.

SEC. 18. *Right of way.*

(a) When two vehicles approach or enter an intersection at approximately the same time, the driver of the vehicle on the left shall yield the right of way to the vehicle on the right except as otherwise provided in section nineteen. The driver of any vehicle traveling at an unlawful speed shall forfeit any right of way which he might otherwise have hereunder.

Vehicle on left to yield to vehicle on right.

Vehicle at unlawful speed to forfeit right of way.

(b) The driver of a vehicle approaching but not having entered an intersection shall yield the right of way to a vehicle within such intersection and turning therein to the left across the line of travel of such first mentioned vehicle, provided the driver of the vehicle turning left has given a plainly visible signal of intention to turn as required in section seventeen.

Vehicles approaching intersection to yield to vehicles within intersection.

Proviso: driver to have given signal of intention to turn.